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SUBJECT: NUCLEAR POWER PROJECT, PAKISTAN

REF: (A) ISLAMABAD A-176; (B) ISLAMABAD 4820

1. USDOC MAJOR EXPORT PROJECTS DIVISION DISSEMINATED
YOUR REF (A) AIRGRAM TO U.S. CONSULTANTS, DESIGN/
CONSTRUCTORS, AND MAJOR NUCLEAR EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURERS
WHEN RECEIVED ON NOVEMBER 26.

2. WESTINGHOUSE IS INTERESTED IN THIS PROJECT AND IS
PLANNING TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO PAKISTAN DURING WEEK
OF JANUARY 20, 1975 TO MEET WITH PAKISTAN ATOMIC ENERGY
COMMISSION. WESTINGHOUSE UNDERSTANDS GOP WILL BE
TENDERING FOR ONE 600 MW NUCLEAR PLANT WITH AN OPTION FOR
A SECOND 600 MW PLANT. WESTINGHOUSE WILL BE MAKING
CONTACTS AND ARRANGEMENTS DIRECTLY WITH PAEC. WE WILL KEEP
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YOU ADVISED.

3. WESTINGHOUSE IS AWARE OF THE PRESENCE OF KRAFTWERKE UNION (KWU) REPRESENTATIVES IN PAKISTAN AND IS CONCERNED ABOUT A REPORT THAT KWU IS GETTING ACTIVE SUPPORT BY THE FRG. SPECIFICALLY, WESTINGHOUSE HAS HEARD THAT THE FRG HAS OFFERED THE GOP TO PERFORM A NUCLEAR POWER SURVEY. ALSO, WESTINGHOUSE HAS HEARD THAT THE GOP HAS RECEIVED A

250 MILLION DM LINE OF CREDIT FROM GERMANY.

4. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IF THE EMBASSY COULD CONFIRM AND/OR COMMENT ON THE FOLLOWING:

(A) IS THE GOP CONSIDERING A FRG OFFER TO PERFORM A NUCLEAR POWER SURVEY, AND IF SO, HOW IS SURVEY BEING FINANCED.

(B) HAS THE GERMAN 250 MILLION DM LINE OF CREDIT TO PAKISTAN BEEN EARMARKED FOR ANY SPECIFIC PROJECT(S). KISSINGER

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